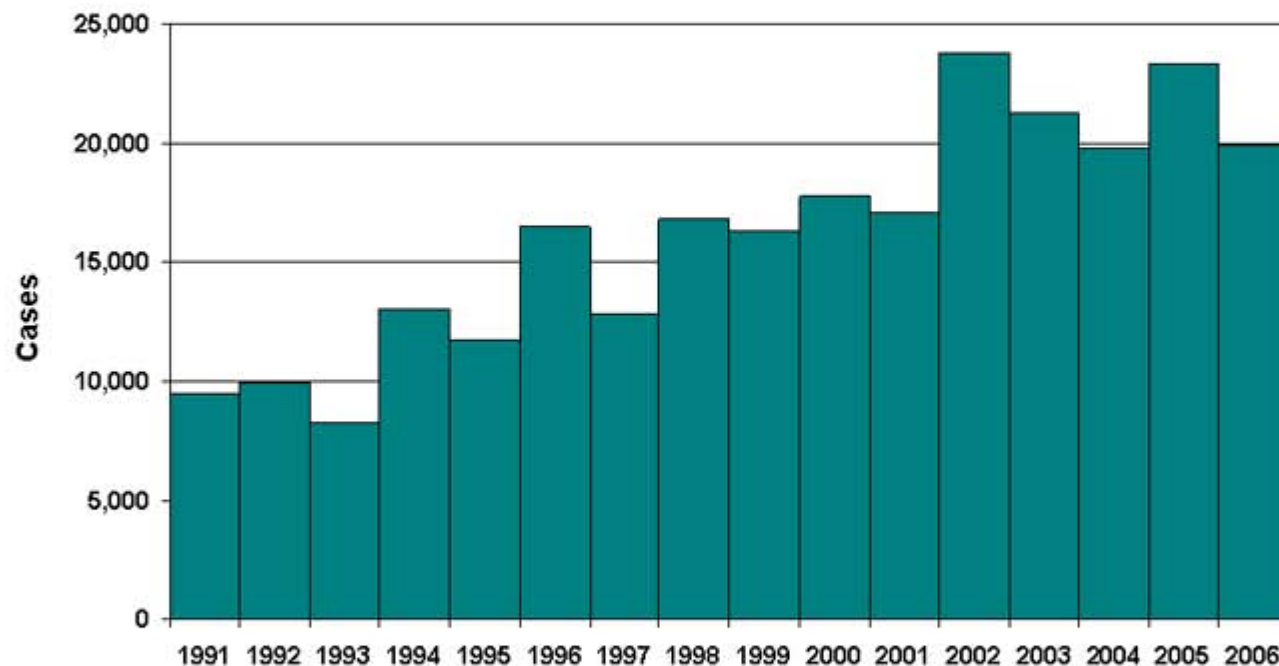




Reported Cases of Lyme Disease by Year, United States, 1991-2006



In 2006, 19,931 cases of Lyme disease were reported yielding a national average of 8.2 cases per 100,000 persons. In the ten states where Lyme disease is most common, the average was 30.2 cases per 100,000 persons